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Last Minute Contributions Peak at \$800,000

Olympia-Last minute contributions reported during the 21-day period before the general election reached \$832,313 from 579 reported transactions.

Special reports for last minute contributions (LMC) given or received within 21 days of a general election are required to be filed if a contribution is over \$500 in the aggregate. Contributors have twenty-four hours to report a contribution given and recipients have forty-eight hours to report a contribution received.

Brian Sullivan, candidate for State Representative in the 21st Legislative District, received the most last minute contributions at 47, for a total \$69.376; Jean Berkey, candidate for State Representative in the 38th Legislative District, received the second highest number at 43, for a total of \$25,800; and Greg Nickels, candidate for the Mayor of Seattle, the third highest number of LMCs at 42, for a total of \$25,250.

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